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Factor and Type I Collagen Inducible  
Protein (VCIP)

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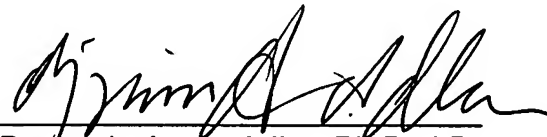
Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a), Applicant hereby petitions that the period for response for the purpose of filing a Response to Office Action, mailed March 9, 2007, in the above-referenced patent application, be extended for two (2) months to and including August 9, 2007. Please credit the \$225 petition fee under 37 C.F.R. 1.17 to the credit card identified on Form PTO-2038. **Only in the absence** of Form 2038, please debit any applicable fees due from Deposit Acct. No. 07-1185.

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- 1) Response and Amendment (10 pgs);
- 2) Petition for Two Month Extension of Time; and
- 3) Form PTO-2038

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